A separate vote was demanded on the peril-point amendment which resulted in its adoption by 225 yeas to 168 nays.

A demand for a separate vote on the escape-clause amendment resulted in its adoption by a voice vote.

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Committee Meetings

NATIONAL SECURITY AND MANPOWER

Committee on Armed Services: Started executive reading of H. R. 1752, to permit the more effective utilization of manpower resources of the United States by authorizing universal military training and service. Postponed further consideration until next Thursday, February 15.

DEFENSE HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Commenced executive consideration of H. R. 1272, to assist the provision of housing and community facilities and services required in connection with the national defense (to be cited as the Defense Housing and Community Facilities and Services Act of 1951). Will resume on same topic tomorrow morning.

EXECUTIVE EXPENDITURES

Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Department: Held organizational meeting, set up subcommittees, and considered work program.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Continued to hear Members of the House, who have introduced bills which have been referred to this committee for study. Appearing today were Representative Fogarty, on H. Res. 82, to

provide for the unity of Ireland; and Representative Lantaff, on H. R. 1621, to deny economic and financial assistance to foreign countries which permit the exportation of strategic war materials to Russia and her satellites. Statements for the record were also submitted by Representative Allen of Illinois, author of H. R. 1773, to create a commission to enable the qualified voters of each State to register their opinions as to the national foreign policy; and Representative Boggs of Louisiana, author of H. Con. Res. 26, advocating "federal union."

The committee will hear other Members on behalf of their proposals tomorrow morning.

NEWSPRINT STUDY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Opened public hearings to consider the newsprint situation, hearing testimony from the following officials of the National Production Authority: H. B. McCoy, Assistant Administrator of Industrial Operations, and Gabriel J. Ticoulat, in charge of the Pulp and Paper Section. Hearings will be continued tomorrow.

ALUMINUM, MONOPOLY

Committee on the Judiciary: Celler Subcommittee on the Study of Monopoly Power resumed hearings to investigate the present and proposed expansion of facilities in the aluminum industry. Charles Sawyer, Secretary of Commerce, testified today, along with Manly Fleischmann, Administrator of National Production Authority. Hearings will be continued on Friday morning.

CLAIMS

Committee on the Judiciary: Byrne Subcommittee No. 2 approved for reporting to the full committee 15 private claim bills of the House. Two were ordered reported adversely.

Thursday, February 8, 1951

HIGHLIGHTS

Foreign-policy speeches were heard in Senate.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1090-1107

Bills Introduced: Thirty-six bills and ten resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 808 to S. 843; S. J. Res. 31; S. Con. Res. 11; and S. Res. 65 to S. Res. 72.

Pages 1094, 1096, 1099, 1104, 1106

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 271, to transfer to Vermont Agricultural College certain lands in Addison County, Vt., for agricultural purposes (S. Rept. 80);

S. Res. 53, providing investigation of personnel needs and practices of various governmental departments (S. Rept. 81)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration;

Report of Labor-Management Relations Subcommittee on east coast oil tanker industry, pursuant to S. Res. 140 of Eighty-first Congress, with individual views (S. Rept. 82);

S. Res. 65, providing for apprehension of certain persons as witnesses in investigation of organized crime in interstate commerce (S. Rept. 83);

S. Res. 66, citing Joseph Aiuppa for contempt of Senate (S. Rept. 84);

S. Res. 67, citing Joseph DeCarlo for contempt of Senate (S. Rept. 85);

S. Res. 68, citing James Licavoli for contempt of Senate (S. Rept. 86);

S. Res. 69, citing Peter Tremont for contempt of Senate (S. Rept. 87);

S. Res. 70, citing David N. Kessel for contempt of Senate (S. Rept. 88);

S. Res. 71, providing additional funds not to exceed \$125,870 for temporary personnel for Committee on Labor and Public Welfare (S. Rept. 89)—referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

Pages 1094-1096

Bills Referred: Three House-passed bills were referred to appropriate committees.

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Bill Rereferred: Committee on Labor and Public Welfare was discharged from further consideration of S. 780, increase of compensation to veterans with service-connected disabilities, and the bill was rereferred to Committee on Finance.

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Injunctions by State Courts in Labor Disputes: Studies by four universities on "Issuance of Injunctions in Labor Disputes by State Courts," made pursuant to S. Res. 140 of the Eighty-first Congress, were ordered to be printed as S. Doc. 7.

GI Insurance, and Contract Renegotiation: Committee on Finance was authorized to file reports during recess on H. R. 1, veterans' gratuity insurance bill, and H. R. 1724, renegotiation of contracts.

Nominations: Six civilian nominations were received, along with 1398 Navy nominations. Pages 1151-1154

Committee Meetings

NATIONAL SECURITY AND MANPOWER

Committee on Armed Services: Preparedness Subcommittee met in executive session with the following witnesses to consider S. 1, National Security Training Act of 1951, as well as the over-all manpower situation, including selective service and universal military service: Gen. George C. Marshall, Secretary of Defense; Anna M. Rosenberg, Assistant Secretary of Defense; Maj. Gen. Milton Reckord, National Guard Association; Brig. Gen. E. A. Evans, Reserve Officers Association; and

Miles Kennedy, American Legion. Subcommittee meets again tomorrow.

CONTRACT RENEGOTIATION

Committee on Finance: Committee met in executive session to mark up for reporting H. R. 1724, to provide for the renegotiation of contracts, but made no announcement of actions taken. Committee meets again tomorrow to take final action on reporting the bill.

Hearings begin on H. R. 1612, reciprocal trade agreements, on February 13.

AUDUBON YEAR, AND CHILDREN'S DENTAL HEALTH DAY

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee voted to report to the full committee S. 248, designating 1951 as Audubon Centennial Year, and S. 336, providing for the annual proclamation of National Children's Dental Health Day (after adopting an amendment in the nature of a substitute for the bill). Before taking action on S. 248, the subcommittee received testimony in support of the bill from Kenneth Morrison, director of public information for the National Audubon Society, and Howard Zahniser, executive secretary of the Wilderness Society, accompanied by his daughter Esther.

Senator Murray testified in support of the enactment of S. 336.

VETERANS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: Subcommittee on Veterans Affairs met in executive session to hear Carl R. Gray, Jr., Administrator of VA, present an analysis of the status of the veterans' hospital services and the VA's policy with reference to its medical care.

GOVERNMENT CAFETERIAS

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: Subcommittee No. 4, on Cafeterias, Archives, and Census held an informal discussion on Government cafeterias as to quality, prices, etc., of food served in the cafeterias, with the following representatives of various Government cafeterias: Gen. U. S. Grant and Herbert Willett, president and general manager, GSI; E. L. Lonnasson, manager, Department of Agriculture Cafeteria; John W. Stewart, manager, Bureau of Engraving and Printing Cafeteria; Martin Everhard, manager, Government Printing Office Cafeteria; Robert Loftis and Colonel Glatt, Pentagon Cafeterias; Ben Regan and W. E. Britcher, Senate Restaurants; and Mrs. Helen M. Noetling, manager, House Restaurant.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Twenty-two public bills, H. R. 2515-2536; seventeen private bills, H. R. 2537-2553; and seven resolutions, H. J. Res. 157-159, H. Con. Res. 56 and 57, and H. Res. 127 and 128, were introduced.

Pages 1160, 1182

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H. Res. 37, authorizing additional clerical assistants for the Committee on Armed Services (H. Rept. 96);

H. Res. 42, to authorize the expenditure of certain funds for the expenses of the Committee on Un-American Activities (H. Rept. 97); and

H. Res. 114, to provide for expenses of investigations and studies of the Committee on Armed Services authorized by H. Res. 38 (H. Rept. 98). Pages 1181-1182

Administrative Resolutions: The House today considered and adopted the following resolutions from the Committee on House Administration:

Additional Clerks: H. Res. 37, authorizing two additional clerical assistants for the Committee on Armed

Un-American Activities: H. Res. 42, to authorize the expenditure of \$200,000 for the expenses of the Committee on Un-American Activities;

Armed Services: H. Res. 114, to provide \$50,000 for expenses of investigations and studies of the Committee on Armed Services, authorized by House Resolution 38.

Pages 1155-1160

Disposition of Executive Papers: Adopted H. Res. 127, providing that the Committee on the Disposition of Executive Papers shall consist of two members of the Committee on House Administration.

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Order of Business: By unanimous consent request Calendar Wednesday business in order on February 14 was dispensed with.

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Committee Meetings

PEANUTS

Committee on Agriculture: Held a general discussion concerning all of the peanut bills which have been referred to this committee. Particular attention was given to the provisions of H. R. 2085, introduced by Representative Cooley, and S. 742, introduced by Senator Hoey, of North Carolina. Attending today's session were Frank K. Woolley, Deputy Administrator, and George Parks, of the Fats and Oils Branch, both of the Production and Marketing Administration. Committee will continue on same subject tomorrow morning.

DEFENSE HOUSING

Committee on Banking and Currency: Continued executive consideration of H. R. 1272, to assist the provision of housing and community facilities and services required in connection with the national defense (to be cited as the Defense Housing and Community Facilities and Services Act of 1951). Will resume on same subject next Wednesday, February 14.

INTERGOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments: The Bonner Subcommittee on Intergovernmental Relations held executive meeting.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS LEGISLATION

Committee on Foreign Affairs: The following Members of the House, who have introduced bills which have been referred to this committee for study, appeared today on behalf of their proposals: Representative Bennett of Florida, on legislation to deny economic and financial assistance to foreign countries which permit the exportation of strategic war materials to Russia and her satellites; and Representative Dondero, on H. R. 466, to increase the fee for executing an application for a passport or a visa from \$1 to \$3. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

PUBLIC LANDS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: The Bentsen Subcommittee on Public Lands held executive discussions with officials of the Interior Department in connection with the subcommittee's work program.

NEWSPRINT STUDY

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Gabriel J. Ticoulat, in charge of the Pulp and Paper Section of the National Production Authority, completed his testimony at today's hearings which are being conducted to consider the newsprint situation. Also testifying on the subject were Cranston Williams, American Newspaper Publishing Association; Charles E. Moreau, National Editorial Association; and Vernon L. Tipka, representing the U. S. mills. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

HOOVER REPORT

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: The following members of the Citizens' Committee for the Hoover Report met with the group today: Dr. Robert L. Johnson, chairman, and president of Temple University; Charles B. Coates, vice chairman of and general manager; and Robert L. L. McCormick, research director. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

FEDERAL AGENCY DISPERSAL

Committee on Public Works: The Trimble Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Grounds held an executive meeting on H. R. 1728, authorizing appropriation for construction of Federal buildings outside of, but in vicinity of and accessible to, the District of Columbia. Appearing before the group at the morning executive session were Harry Bowman, special consultant and expert on physical effects of atomic bombs, Atomic Energy Commission; Col. Ramsay D. Potts, Jr., special assistant to the Chairman, National Security Resources Board; Brig. Gen. Dudley Hale, Office of Director of Plans, U. S. Air Force, Department of Defense, and Roger Jones, Assistant Director, Bureau of the Budget.

In the afternoon session, which was public, the subcommittee heard from W. E. Reynolds, Public Buildings Commissioner; Representative Smith of Virginia; and planning representatives from counties in northern Virginia. No further open hearings on the subject are scheduled at this time.

TAX REVISIONS

Committee on Ways and Means: Resumed hearings on the subject of tax revisions, with Frederick J. Lawton, Director, Bureau of the Budget, testifying in morning and afternoon sessions. Hearings will be continued tomorrow.

It was announced today that February 15 would be the dead line for witnesses to file with the committee in order to testify on this legislation.

Joint Committee Meetings

ATOMIC ENERGY PROBLEMS

Joint Committee on Atomic Energy: Atomic Energy Commissioners, accompanied by their staffs, met in executive session with the committee to consider reports on special problems prepared by the Commission.

DEFENSE MOBILIZATION

Joint Committee on Defense Production: Charles E. Wilson, Director of Defense Mobilization, and Herbert Bergson, general counsel, Office of Defense Mobilization, met in executive session with Senate members of the committee to discuss the general mobilization program. It was agreed that a central information office, located in Washington, would be set up to assist businessmen in locating Government officials with whom they need to communicate. It was announced that a deputy to William H. Harrison, Defense Production Administrator, would be appointed to look after the interests of small business in the mobilization program. The joint committee meets tomorrow.

Monday, February 12, 1951

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on aid to India.

Senate committees, during recess, acted on draft, contract renegotiation, Federal dispersal, and postal service bills.

Membership of Select Committees on Small Business, GI Education and Training, and Use of Chemicals in Food Products appointed by Speaker.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1184-1188

Bills Introduced: Twenty-three bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 844 to S. 866; S. J. Res. 32; and S. Res. 73.

Pages 1185-1186

Bills Reported: One report was made, as follows:

Fifth report of Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments with respect to relationships between U. S. and international organizations in which the U. S. participates (S. Rept. 90).

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Bill Referred: One House-passed bill was referred to appropriate committee.

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President's Messages: Received messages from President (1) recommending food assistance to India—referred to Committee on Foreign Relations; and (2) transmitting rules and regulations implementing uniform code of military justice—referred to Committee on Armed Services.

Poges 1184, 1197, 1243–1245

Appointments to Boards: Senators Ellender, Chapman, and Young were appointed to the Board of Visitors to the U. S. Military Academy, and Senators Maybank,